

HAMDEN ARTS COMMISSION AGENDA
Meeting of Wednesday, June 3rd, 2020
7 pm: Digital Zoom Call
2750 Dixwell Avenue

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes

Treasurer's Report

Old Business

Chair's Report

- Summer Events Updates

Marita:

- Mayoral Poetry Program
- CT Poetry Society and Arts Paper Interview

Siobhan:

- Classic Film Netflix Watch Party and Zoom Discussion Collab with Best Video
- Paint and Sip Party - Collab with PLACE? Any other Hamden organizations that do Paint and Sip? Collab with a Hamden package store
- Zoom Artist Discussion and Art Presentation
- Fashion collab with Fashionista in New Haven - the owner is a Hamden resident

Ruth:

- How Art was used during the Spanish Influenza
- How can we collab with the Hamden Arts League?

Nancy:

- Report on Chamber of Business happenings – Back2Business Initiative

Director's Report

New Business/Ideas

IDEA: Summer Art Kit Subscription for Kids and families

- June/July/August
 - One kit per family per month
 - \$5 cost per family, Arts Commission funds the rest
 - Different Art prompt each month with the corresponding art materials
 - Kits get ordered on the Hamden website then we drive out and deliver

- Collab with Hamden Youth Services / Hamden Fine Arts / Hamden Dept. Arts / CT Arts for Learning
- Would need help every month shopping for supplies and putting kits together
- Could have a max amount of kits available - like 100 kits a month or so
- Work with the Hamden Arts teachers and ask them what would go along with their curriculums
- Maybe can disperse kits at the Hamden Drive through farmers markets this summer

Good & Welfare